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The Honorable Rodney Slater Secretary of Transportation U.S. Department of Transportation 400 Seventh **St. SW** Washington DC 20590

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Dear Secretary Slater:

I am enclosing copies of the letters that I have written to Senator Phil Gramm, Senator Kay Bailey Hutchison and Representative Eddie **Bernice** Johnson, protesting the latest commission caps levied on travel agents by the major US Carriers.

I sincerely hope that at some point our politicians and government officials will understand the impact that these manipulations are having on the consumers as well as small travel agencies all over the United States. Let's remember this country created a democracy to protect its people, consumers and small businesses alike and that the monopolistic practices instituted by the larger airline carriers is detrimental to that spirit of democracy!

Sincerely,

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